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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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SHIGERU ICHIHARA ET AL.	)	
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Filed: January 14, 2005	)	
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For: PLATING SOLUTION, PROCESS	)	
FOR PRODUCING A STRUCTURE:		
WITH THE PLATING SOLUTION,)		
AND APPARATUS EMPLOYING :		
THE PLATING SOLUTION	)	July 2, 2007

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

Prior to the examination on the merits, please amend the above-captioned application as follows.